

Curriculum Overview 2020-21 - Year 6 *subject to change depending on Covid-19 restrictions

Subject	Autumn term		Spring term		Summer term	
Overall Topic	BRITAIN AT WAR		SOUTH AMERICA		MOUNTAINS AND THE LAKE DISTRICT	
Literacy	"The Nowhere Emporium" - bridging unit to recap key skills Poetry - work of the WW1 poets "Stay Where You Are and Then Leave" - class novel "Shackleton's Journey" - including descriptive and persuasive writing		Fiction - Goodnight Mr Tom Classic fiction - The Railway Children Fiction genres - narrative focus Classic poetry - Jabberwocky		Explanation texts linked to mountains Discussion texts Classic Fiction - Shakespeare focus	
Mathematics (White Rose Maths Scheme of Work)	Number and place value Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division Fractions and percentages Geometry (position and direction)		Decimals and percentages Measurement, Statistics Algebra, Ratio Measurement (area, perimeter and volume)		Geometry (shape including angles) Revision of all topics Transition units	
Science	Living things and their habitats- classification, variation, adaptation, evolution	Electricity - circuits	Forces- mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears.	Micro-organisms	Properties of materials and reversible/irreversible change.	Light
History	Britain at War			The Mayans		
Geography			South America		Mountains and The Lake District (including map-work)	
DT		Enterprise Week (various skills)*	Shelters Food - war-time recipes		Cams, gears and pulleys - moving toys	
Computing*	Programming	Networking	Online safety	Data Handling - spreadsheets	App development	
Art	Drawing - human figures	Painting - pointillism Printing (layered press-prints))		Clay skills		Artist study - William Heaton-Cooper
Music (Charanga)	Happy	"Peace Proms"* Classroom Jazz 2	Benjamin Britten's New Year Carol	Music and Identity	You've got a friend	Reflect, rewind and replay
RE	Life as a journey and pilgrimage	How do Christians prepare for Christmas?	Why is the Exodus such a significant event in Jewish and Christian history?	Why do Christians celebrate the Eucharist? Easter	Ascension and Pentecost	Ideas about God
PE	OAA Invasion games	Dance Fitness - Champions	Dance Gymnastics	Invasion games - tag rugby Gymnastics	Games - netball Athletics Swimming*	OAA Residential* Striking and fielding games Swimming*

PSHE	Me and my Relationships Includes feelings/emotions/ Conflict resolution/ friendships	Valuing difference Includes British Values focus	Keeping myself safe Includes aspects of safe internet use, drugs and Relationship Education	Rights and responsibilities Includes money, living in the wider world/environment	Being my Best Includes keeping healthy/Growth Mindset/goal setting/achievement	Growing and Changing Includes RSE related issues
French	Parts of the body	Illness and Christmas	Sports	Family	The enormous turnip (story)	Revise key phrases and verbs
Other learning opportunities	House Captain application process Pie Corbett online lessons	Pie Corbett online lessons Carol singing DVD production	E-safety week	Bikeability		Shakespeare production*